

# Deyjah Stewart

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## Education

**2022** B.F.A. in Studio Art, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX

**2020** A.A. in Visual Arts Tarrant County College District, Northeast Campus, Hurst, TX

## Solo Exhibitions

**2023** *Solitude: Harmonious Evolution*, Arts Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX

**2021** Fall 2021 Student Union Art Gallery Space, *In My Space*, 010 Gallery at Hubbard Hall, Denton, TX

## Group Exhibitions

**2023** *The Body as Voice*, curated by Caitlin Spencer, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX  
*GALEX56 National Juried Competition and Exhibition*, Galesburg, IL  
McKinney Black History Month 2023: *Stories of Grit and Perseverance*, McKinney, TX  
*Woven Together*, Kinfolk House Collaborative Project Space, Fort Worth, TX

**2022** Visual Arts Society of Texas (VAST) *Members Exhibition*, Meadows Gallery, Patterson Appleton Arts Center, Denton, TX  
*Artes y Cultura Exhibition*, Arts Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX  
2022 Texas Now Online Showcase  
2022 Fort Worth Biennial, Arts Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX  
23rd Annual Wills Creek Exhibition of Fine Art, Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, MD  
*Rising Star* Exhibition, Turner House in North Oak Cliff, Dallas, TX  
16th Annual TAC Member Exhibition, Arts Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX  
*New Texas Talent XXIX*, Craighead Green Gallery, Dallas, TX  
*BFA Exhibition*, East and West Galleries, Denton, TX  
*John Weinkein Juried Student Exhibition*, East and West Galleries, Denton, TX

**2021** 500X Gallery *College Expo 2021*, 500X Gallery, Dallas, TX  
*Visual Culture REPRESENT! Series: Intersections Juried Exhibition*, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX  
Visual Arts Society of Texas (VAST) *Members Exhibition*, Meadows Gallery, Patterson Appleton Arts Center, Denton, TX  
*Now | Contemporary 2021* Juried Exhibition, Fort Worth Community Arts Center, Fort Worth, TX  
*John Weinkein Juried Student Exhibition*, East and West Galleries, Denton, TX

## Grants

**2021** *Fierce Solitude*, Student Research Grant Program, Texas Woman's University  
*Fierce Solitude*, Experiential Student Scholars Program Research Grant, Texas Woman's University, September 2021- March 2022

## Awards/Scholarships

**2023** The Clare Hart DeGolyer Memorial Fund, Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas, TX

**2022** Best of Show 23rd Annual Wills Creek Exhibition of Fine Art  
Winner of 2022 Texas Artist Coalition (TAC) juried competition  
Nominated by the Kirk Hopper Gallery and Giovanni Valderas for the Rising Star Exhibition  
First Place John Weinkein Juried Student Exhibition

**2021** Honorable Mention at Visual Arts Society of Texas (VAST) Members Exhibition  
Texas Association for Developing Colleges (TXADC) Urban Scholarship Fund  
CBC Spouses Visual Arts Scholarship  
InovateHER Entrepreneurial Scholarship  
Catherine Cloud Edwards Scholarship (Visual Arts)  
First Place John Weinkein Juried Student Exhibition  
John Weinkein Distinction in the Visual Arts Endowed Award

**2020** Frederic and Eileen Monaghan Whitaker Foundation Undergraduate Art Scholarship.  
Evelyn Moren Art Scholarship  
Helen Thomas Perry Endowment Art Scholarship

## Publications and

**2022** Stewart, Deyjah, and Tanya Synar. (in press) "Fierce Solitude." *TWU Student Journal*.  
Stewart, Deyjah, and Tanya Synar. "Fierce Solitude." *Repository @TWU University Libraries*, Texas Woman's University, 12 May. 2022, <https://hdl.handle.net/11274/13707>.

### Presentation

*Fierce Solitude*,  
Creative Arts and Research Symposium, April 2022  
\*As I apply personal experiences to define the essence of the relationship of solitude and creativity to art-making, I use reflective practice to develop and produce artwork to understand how solitude is and act of being connected in space, environment, with self, and others, etc.

## Press

**2023** Fuentes, Jessica. "This and That: Amy Cutler and Deyjah Stewart." *Glasstire*, 17 Apr. 2023, <https://glasstire.com/2023/04/17/this-and-that-amy-cutler-and-deyjah-stewart/>.  
Krznarich, Megan Wilson. "Powerful Craft: A Review of 'Woven Together' at Kinfolk House." *Glasstire*, 16 Apr. 2023, <https://glasstire.com/2023/04/16/powerful-craft-a-review-of-woven-together-at-kinfolk-house/>.  
Verrando, Sally. "Art with a Twist on Traditional Craft and Personal Stories at Fort Worth's Kinfolk House." *KERA News*, KERA, 2 Mar. 2023, <https://www.keranews.org/arts-culture/2023-03-02/art-with-a-twist-on-traditional-craft-and-personal-stories-at-fort-worths-kinfolk-house>.